## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1098

By Finney R.

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Christopher Brown, 2008 Valedictorian of Seymour High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Brown is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2008 graduating class at Seymour High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Brown has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Christopher Brown has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while participating in numerous extra-curricular activities, such as track, cross-country, River Rescue, Youth Summit, Pre-Collage Upward Bound, Beta Club, and National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, highly regarded by his peers, Christopher has demonstrated tremendous leadership abilities as Vice-President of the senior class; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Brown's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success at the United States Military Academy at West Point; and

WHEREAS, Christopher's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, William and Gina Brown, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Brown's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE. THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2008 Seymour High School Valedictorian, Christopher Brown, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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